

ANNUAL REPORT 2002

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1. Study and research at the Thomas Instituut

On 24 May a day of study was organised on analogy and the “names of God” in Thomas Aquinas at the Tilburg Faculty of Theology. Lectures were given by prof. Rudi te Velde, prof. Herwi Rikhof, dr. Henk Schoot, dr. Ad Vennix and prof. Donald Loose. The day was completed by a forum discussion on this subject.

On 6 December a day of study on the concept of happiness in catholic and protestant theology was organised under the title “Happiness of Man”. The reason to organise this day of study was the completion of a doctoral thesis by Stefan Gradl, guest-researcher at the Thomas Instituut. Five papers were given on happiness in Martin Luther’s and Thomas Aquinas’ thinking. These contributions are published in this volume of the *Jaarboek Thomas Instituut*.

From 1 to 5 July prof. dr. H.W.M. Rikhof, director of the institute, joined the Thomas Aquinas Summer School in Trakai (Lithuania). He gave six lectures and seminars on Thomas and on the Holy Spirit and Love.

On 18 October prof.dr. P.J.J. van Geest delivered his inaugural lecture on accepting the chair on Augustinian studies at the Catholic Theological University of Utrecht, entitled *Integriteit als weg naar God. Over de spiritualiteit van Augustinus (Integrity as a way to God. On spirituality of Augustine, CP)*. The chair has been installed under auspices of the Dutch Province of the Augustinian Order.

On 1 November dr. Carlo Leget left the Catholic Theological University of Utrecht in order to teach medical ethics at

the department of Ethics, Philosophy and History of Medicine of the University Medical Center St. Radboud in Nijmegen. Yet he will remain a member of the Thomas Instituut.

Further work has been done on the research plan of the institute. This plan includes two new research projects for junior-researchers. S. Mangnus will work on Faith in Aquinas and will start in the beginning of 2003. S. Wiersma has submitted a project on the *Pugio Fidei* by Raimundus Martini (1220-1284). The final decision concerning this project is due in the course of 2003.

Three research projects were finalized in the year under review. Eric Luijten concluded his thesis on *Sacramental forgiveness as a gift of God. Thomas Aquinas on the sacrament of penance*. Mark-Robin Hoogland c.p. will publish his thesis on *God, Passion and Power. Thomas Aquinas on Christ crucified and the almightiness of God*. Both will obtain their doctorate at the Catholic Theological University at Utrecht in May 2003. Stefan Gradl has produced a dissertation with the title *Deus beatitudo hominis: Evangelische Annäherung an die Glückslehre des Thomas von Aquin*. He will graduate at the Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg (Germany) on 2 July 2003.

2. The Board of the Institute and the Foundation

Most of the issues that have been mentioned were discussed in meetings of the Board of the Institute, which convened on 11 March and 3 September and the Board of the Thomas Foundation, which convened on 23 April and 12 November. Z.O.H.M. van Hövell tot Westervliet left the Board of the latter because of other demanding duties. There were no personal mutations in the Board of the Institute.

3. Jaarboek Thomas Instituut

The *Jaarboek 2001* was timely published in 2002. Since a large part of the collection of studies consists of contributions to a discussion between exegetes and systematic theologians on a day of study in

November 2001, for the first time this 21st volume of the *Jaarboek* appeared as a special edition under the title: *Theologie en Exegese*. There were no personnel changes in the Editorial Board.

4. Series of Publications

In the year under review another volume was published in the series of the institute: Paul van Geest, Harm Goris, Carlo Leget (eds.), *Aquinas as Authority*, Publications of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, Volume VII, 338 pp. This is a selection of papers presented during the second conference of the Thomas Institute, which was held from 14 to 16 December 2000. Although the book was completed in 2001, it was published in 2002 in line with the policy of the publisher.

In 2003 three more volumes in this series are expected: the dissertations by Eric Luijten, Mark-Robin Hoogland c.p. and Stefan Gradl.

5. Translation Series

No new volumes appeared in the year under review. Henk Schoot completed a translation of Thomas Aquinas' *De rationibus fidei* in 2002, which will be published in this series in the summer of 2003.

6. Website of the Thomas Instituut

With substantial support of the Thomas Foundation, the website of the Thomas Instituut has been renewed. There have been some extensive technical changes and improvements. The internet address has changed to www.thomasinstituut.org, which is more recognizable for the Thomas Institute's – international – audience. In the year under review the average number of daily viewers of the website increased by 30%.

7. Members of the Thomas Instituut

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Catholic Theological University Utrecht

Staff

- Prof. dr. P. van Geest
- Prof. dr. H.W.M. Rikhof
- Prof. dr. F.J.H. Vosman
- Prof. dr. J.B.M. Wissink
- Dr. A.M.G. Van den Bossche
- Dr. H.J.M.J. Goris
- Dr. H.J.M. Schoot

Candidates for a
Doctorate

- Drs. M.-R. Hoogland c.p.
- B. Lee-Goddard s.s.t.t.
- S. Gradl s.s.t.t.
- Drs. Tj. Jansen s.j.
- Drs. F.G.B. Luijten

Tilburg Faculty of Theology

Staff

- Prof. dr. K.-W. Merks
- Prof. dr. R.A. te Velde
(University of Amsterdam,
Philosophy)

Catholic University of Nijmegen

Staff

- Dr. P.J.J.M. Bakker
(Philosophy)
- Prof. dr. H.A.G. Braakhuis
(Philosophy)
- Dr. C.J.W. Leget
(University Medical Centre
St. Radboud, Ethics)

-Prof. dr. P.J.M. van
Tongeren (Philosophy)
-Prof. dr. P.G.J.M. Raedts
(History)
-Dr. W.G.B.M. Valkenberg
(Theology)
-Dr. A.C.M. Vennix
(Philosophy)
-Prof. dr. mr. B.P.M.
Vermeulen (Law)

Utrecht University
Staff

-Dr. A. Vos (Theology)
-Prof. dr. A. Orbán (Arts/
Late Latin)

Other members of the institute

-Prof. dr. Th.C.J. Beemer
(Catholic University of
Nijmegen, emeritus)
-Prof. dr. F.J.A. de Grijs
(Catholic Theological
University of Utrecht,
emeritus)
-Drs. J.W.C.M. van Reisen
(Augustinian Institute,
Eindhoven)
-Drs. P.L. van Veldhuijsen

8. Research programmes and research projects

The projects referred to are carried out by members of the institute. Each programme consists of several projects.

The theology of Thomas Aquinas, its sources and its influence on subsequent theology

(Catholic Theological University of Utrecht)

Gabriel Biel, a devout theologian. Research into the interrelatedness of spirituality of the Devotio Moderna and academic theology in the work of Gabriel Biel

-P. van Geest

Simplicitas Dei. The reception of Aquinas' doctrine of God in the theology of the 14th and 15th century

-H.J.M.J. Goris

God's crucial allmightiness. Thomas on the relation between God's allmightiness and the passion of Christ

-M.-R. Hoogland (H.W.M. Rikhof)

Embodying grace. An analysis of the texts of the feast of Corpus Christi

-Tj. Jansen (H.W.M. Rikhof, A.H.C. van Eijk)

Life is always a good

-C.J.W. Leget

Forgiveness as gift of the spirit. Thomas on the sacrament of confession

-F.G.B. Luijten (H.W.M. Rikhof)

Trinity in Thomas Aquinas

-H.W.M. Rikhof

Christologia Recepta. On the reception of Aquinas' christology 1300-1600 by several commentators

-H.J.M. Schoot

The Concept of Trinity and Reconstruction of Identity in Christian Theology of Interreligious Dialogue (also part of the research programme of the Faculty of Theology at the Catholic University of Nijmegen, entitled: "Religious identity interactions in a plural and secularized society")

-W.G.B.M. Valkenberg

The status of the sacramental structure: in the Thomistic-tridentine tradition and in the actual context of thinking radical difference

-A.M.G. Van den Bossche

The meaning of the term 'passion' (and its connotations) in handbooks of moral theology

-F.J.H. Vosman

Transcendence and Transcendentals

(Tilburg Faculty of Theology)

Current meaning of Aquinas' ethics

-K.-W. Merks

Metaphysics in Aquinas and the Thomist tradition

-R.A. te Velde

Individual projects

'De passionibus animae' in Thomas Aquinas

-Th.C.J. Beemer

Deus beatitudo hominis. Eine evangelische Annäherung an die Glückslehre des Thomas von Aquin

-S. Gradl

Capacitas Dei

-B. Lee-Goddard

Subject and normativity (programme)

-P.J.M. van Tongeren

The question of the eternity of the world in Thomas Aquinas, Bonaventure, Siger of Brabant and Boethius of Dacia

-P.L. van Veldhuijsen

9. Publications in 2002

This list contains all publications by members of the Thomas Instituut in so far as they include Thomas Aquinas as a topic or a topic in relation to his life and works. It also contains all publications by members whose research has been located at the Thomas Instituut.

Scientific publications

Geest, P. van [with H. Goris and C. Leget] - Introduction - Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) VII-XVIII

Geest, P. van - Influence of Thomas Aquinas in the *via moderna* and *devotio moderna*? Gabriel Biel's Debt to Thomas Aquinas - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 39-64

- Geest, P. van - Inveni medicum, qui in caelo habitat et in terris spargit medicamenta... Augustinus van Hippo over ziekte en genezing - Leidschrift. Historisch Tijdschrift 17 (2002) 29-50
- Geest, P. van - Inleiding - Aurelius Augustinus, Het werk van monniken (*De Opere monachorum*). Vertaald door Laurens Baas en Vincent Hunink. Ingeleid door Paul van Geest - Meinema/Zoetermeer (2002) 9-42
- Geest, P. van - The *Schola Augustiniana* and recent developments in contemporary Protestant Christology in the Netherlands - Gregorianum 83 (2002) 767-775
- Geest, P. van - Integriteit als weg naar God. Over de spiritualiteit van Augustinus. Rede uitgesproken bij de aanvaarding van het ambt van bijzonder hoogleraar Augustijnse Studies bij de Katholieke Universiteit te Utrecht op vrijdag 18 oktober 2002 - Utrecht (2002) 68 pp [inaugural lecture KTU]
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - Reception of Aristotle's *De Interpretatione* 9 in the Latin West: Boethius and the Scholastics - Verbum. Yearbook of the Center of Studies of Medieval Culture at St Petersburg State University VI (2002) 63-70
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - Thomism in Fifteenth-Century Germany - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 1-23
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - Theologisch de bijbel lezen? Een bespreking met kanttekeningen van Stephen Fowl, *Engaging Scripture* - Jaarboek 2001 Thomas Instituut te Utrecht (2002) 67-84

- Goris, H.J.M.J. - Review article van S.-C. Park, *Die Rezeption der mittelalterlichen Sprachphilosophie in der Theologie des Thomas von Aquin* - Vivarium 40 (2002) 306-309
- Goris, H.J.M.J. [with P. van Geest and C. Leget] - Introduction - Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) VII-XVIII
- Gradl, S. - Inspector Columbo vergist zich. Criminalistische overwegingen bij de vraag "Heeft Luther Thomas gekend?" - Luther-Bulletin 11 (2002) 11-29
- Leget, C. - Authority and Plausibility: Aquinas on suicide - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 277-293
- Leget, C. [with P. van Geest and H. Goris] - Introduction - Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) VII-XVIII
- Leget, C. - 'Leven' in het Johannescommentaar van Thomas - Jaarboek 2001 Thomas Instituut te Utrecht (2002) 11-27
- Merks, K.-W. - Geen samenleving zonder individualiteit. Een onmisbare erfenis van de moderniteit - H. Geerts, J. van Workum (red.), Samenleving in samenhang. Doet geloven ertoe? Annalen van het Thijmgenootschap 90 - Valkhof/Nijmegen (2002) 148-178

- Merks, K.-W. - Frieden zwischen Utopie und Realismus. Oder: Wie viel Gewalt darf der Frieden kosten? Ethische und theologische Überlegungen zum Friedenswort der deutschen Bischöfe - Kath. Akademie Rabanus Maurus & Pax Christi-Bistumstelle Limburg (Hrsg.), Gerechter Friede, Probleme des Friedens - Meinhardt/Idstein (2002) 93-102
- Rikhof, H.W.M. - The creativity of a theologian - Verbum. Yearbook of the Center of Studies of Medieval Culture at St Petersburg State University VI (2002) 89-99
- Rikhof, H.W.M.- Aquinas' Authority in the Contemporary Theology of the Trinity - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 213-234
- Schoot, H.J.M. - Early Thomist Reception of Aquinas' Christology: Henry of Gorkum - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 25-38
- Schoot, H.J.M. - Introduction - Jaarboek 2001 Thomas Instituut te Utrecht 21 (2002) 7-10
- Valkenberg, W.G.B.M. - Jacques Dupuis as a Theologian with a Reversed Mission: some remarks on his controversial Theology of Religious Pluralism - Frans Wijzen, Peter Nissen (eds), Mission is a Must: Intercultural Theology and the Mission of the Church - Rodopi/Amsterdam-New York (2002) 147-158

- Valkenberg, W.G.B.M - Johannes, Thomas en de andere leerlingen: aantekeningen bij Thomas' interpretatie van Johannes 8 en 20 - Jaarboek 2001 Thomas Instituut te Utrecht 21 (2002) 37-52
- Velde, R.A. te - De filosoof en de dood. Plato's *Phaedo*: analyse en interpretatie - Damon/Budel (2002) 190 pp
- Velde, R.A. te - Seksuele lust en zonde volgens Augustinus - Rein Nauta (et al.), Over zonde en zonden. Opstellen over de tragiek van het bestaan - Valkhof Pers/Nijmegen (2002) 67-85
- Velde, R.A. te - Natural Reason in the Summa contra Gentiles - Brian Davis (ed), Thomas Aquinas. Contemporary Philosophical Perspectives [Reprint] - OUP/Oxford (2002) 117-140
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Thomas Aquinas, Founder of Modern Political and Social Thought? Aquinas' Political-Ethical Theory According to John Finnis - P. van Geest, H. Goris, C. Leget (eds), Aquinas as Authority. A collection of studies presented at the second conference of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht, December 14-16, 2000. Publications of the Thomas Instituut Utrecht. New Series 7 - Peeters/Leuven (2002) 253-276
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Seks, lijfelijkheid en humanisering. Huidig moraaltheologisch denken over seksualiteit - Koen Raes (et al.), Religie en erotiek. Balanceren tussen liefde en lust - Tilburg (2002) 43-67

Professional and/or popular publications

- Geest, P. van - *Pauperibus servus, pius hospitibus...* Over een hospitaalbroederschap, op Augustijnse leest geschoeid - Herademing. Tijdschrift voor Spiritualiteit en Mystiek 10 (2002) 28-32

- Geest, P. van - Boeken en ballingschap. Over Augustinus, de Moderne Devotie en de spiritualiteit van de diplomaat - G. N. Westerouen van Meeteren (red), Dr. Petrus Albertus Kasteel honderd jaar. Album Amicorum - Den Haag (2002) 129-140
- Geest, P. van - "...Hij heeft aanschouwd de goddelijkheid van het Woord." (Augustinus van Hippo) - Kerugma 46 (2002/2003) 52-57
- Geest, P. van [met Jaap Faber] - *Over de drempel van de hoop*. De biografische theologie van paus Johannes Paulus II - Herademing. Tijdschrift voor Spiritualiteit en Mystiek 10/4 (2002) 18-23.
- Geest, P. van - De kerk is open, of zij is niet - Friesch Dagblad (4 juni 2002), 2
- Geest, P. van - Integriteit als cruciale deugd bij Augustinus - Friesch Dagblad (28 oktober 2002) 2
- Geest, P. van - Integriteit, Augustinus' grote deugd - Centraal weekblad (8 november 2002) 5
- Geest, P. van - Ex cathedra - Augustijns Forum (maart 2002)
- Geest, P. van - Ontmoeting aan de Rotte - Augustijns Forum (juni 2002)
- Geest, P. van - Onmenselijk - Augustijns Forum (september 2002)
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - God en schepsel - De Heraut 133/1 (2002) 18-21
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - David: van herdersjongen tot koning - ToonkunstStemmen (september 2002) 12-15

- Leget, C. - *Humanae vitae*: een weerbarstige uitnodiging - De Heraut 133/8 (2002) 242-247
- Merks, K.-W. - Godsdienstdialogen: de herontdekking van een genre. Een korte inleiding - Begrip Moslims-Christenen 28 (2002) 138-140
- Merks, K.-W. - Petrus Abaelardus: Dialoog tussen een filosoof, een jood en een christen - Begrip Moslims-Christenen 28 (2002) 141-148
- Schoot, H.J.M. - Geloven door de geschiedenis heen - De Heraut 133/8 (2002) 228-232
- Valkenberg, W.G.B.M. - Leerhuis: dialoog en waarheidsvinding - Begrip Moslims-Christenen 28 (2002) 134-137
- Valkenberg, W.G.B.M. - Ter inleiding: God en geweld na 11 september 2001 - Pim Valkenberg (ed.), God en geweld - Budel/Damon (2002) 7-18
- Valkenberg, W.G.B.M. - Zijn alle religies gelijkwaardig? Enkele beschouwingen vanuit de christelijke theologie - Cultus. Blad van de Nijmeegse Studentenvereniging voor Antropologie Quetzalcoatl 13/46 (2002) 3-6
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - Rituelen te koop? - Reflector (januari 2002) 14-16
- Velde, R.A. te - Vrij tot de dood? - Pro Vita Humana. Tijdschrift voor levensrecht en medische ethiek (2002) 1-8
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Oeroud en springlevend. Het sociale onderricht van de Rooms-Katholieke Kerk in verandering - De Heraut 133/8 (2002) 248-251

Academic lectures

- Geest, P. van - De Regel van Augustinus - Two workshops at Luce (Institute for Postacademic Education, KTU), Utrecht, 21 June 2002
- Geest, P. van - De kerkelijke en maatschappelijke orde volgens Augustinus - Two lectures at Hydepark (Theological Seminary of the United Reformed Churches), Doorn, 6 September 2002
- Geest, P. van - Thomas a Kempis zwischen Benedictus und Augustinus - Lecture at the congress "Aus dem Winkel der Welt". Institut für die Erforschung des Spätmittelalters, Münster, 3-4 October 2002
- Geest, P. van - Augustinus' opvatting over het godsverlangen - Presentation at the Institutum Patristicum Augustinianum, Rome, 29 October 2002
- Goris, H.J.M.J. - Intellectual knowledge of the singular, propositions and truth in Thomas Aquinas - Lecture at the 11th International Congress of Medieval Philosophy, Porto, 30 August 2002
- Gradl, S. - Dürfen Protestanten glücklich sein? - Lecture at the day of studies at the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "Het geluk van de mens", Utrecht, 6 December 2002
- Leget, C.J.W. - Naar een nieuwe ars moriendi - Lecture at the Department of Ethics, Philosophy and History of Medicine, UMC St. Radboud, Nijmegen, 11 November 2002

- Leget C. - Waarom protestanten gelukkig *moeten* zijn. Een reactie op Stefan Gradl. - Lecture at the day of studies at the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "Het geluk van de mens", Utrecht, 6 December 2002
- Merks, K.-W. - Openbaring uit ervaring? - Lecture at the day of studies at the Tilburg Faculty of Theology, Tilburg, 4 February 2002
- Merks, K.W. - Zwischen Gastfreundschaft und gleichem Recht. Ethische Überlegungen zur Migrationspolitik – Lecture at the Marienberger Klausurgespräche 2002 “Trauma Immigration. Hoffnungsfaktor der Wirtschaft, Angstfaktor der Bevölkerung”, Kloster Marienberg, Burgeis/Mals, Italy, 6 April 2002
- Merks, K.W. - Neue Wege in der Fundamentalmoral - Series of Lectures at the Katholisch-Theologische Hochschule, Alba Iulia, Romania, 9-13 April 2002
- Merks, K.W. - Die Bergpredigt - auch ein politisches Programm? - Lecture at the Auditorium Kloster Stiepel, Bochum, 28 May 2002
- Merks, K.W. - Religion, Säkularität und öffentliches Leben. Über Grundlagen einer politischen Ethik - Lecture at the Colloquio internazionale “Tra religione e irreligione. Fondamentalismo e indifferenza”, Castel Ivano, Italy, 21 September 2002
- Merks, K.W. - Der Finger Gottes, oder: Die Zeichen der Zeit – Lecture at the 75th anniversary of Tilburg Faculty of Theology, Tilburg, 4 October 2002
- Rikhof, H.W.M. - De ongehoorde gewoonheid - Two lectures at the Abdij Vaals, 28 and 29 January 2002

- Rikhof, H.W.M. - Over God *spreken*. - Lecture at the day of studies of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "De Goddelijke Namen", Tilburg, 24 May 2002
- Rikhof, H.W.M. - Theological virtues, some theo-logical explorations - Lecture at the congress "Ethics and globalization. Thomas Aquinas and the future of ethics", Vilnius, Lithuania, 27-29 June 2002
- Rikhof, H.W.M. - Thomas on The Holy Spirit and Love - Six lectures and seminars at the 9th Thomas Aquinas Summerschool, Trakai, Lithuania, 1-5 July 2002
- Rikhof, H.W.M. - The holiness of the Church - Lecture at the conference "A Holy People", Catholic University of Utrecht and Bar Ilan University, Soesterberg, 14-17 July 2002
- Rikhof, H.W.M. [with G.v.d. Hout] - On consulting the artists. Dies rede KTU - Catholic Theological University of Utrecht, Utrecht, 29 November 2002
- Schoot, H.J.M. - Naam, woord, analogie en suppositie - Lecture at the day of studies of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "De Goddelijke Namen", Tilburg, 24 May 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. [with F. Vanneste SJ] - De betekenis van het huwelijk voor de theologie - Lecture at the Christen Forum, Gent, 28 January 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - De excellentie van het huwelijk onder de sacramenten - Lecture on the occasion of the commemoration of St. Thomas 2002 at the Ariënsconvict, Utrecht, 31 Januari 2002

- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - *Aber Herr Professor...* Binnenvragen bij een toekomstgericht betoog - Parallel paper to G. Greshake, *Das priestliche Amt in einer sich wandelnden Kirche* at the day of studies at the Ariënsconvict, Utrecht, 23 April 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - Het moeilijke 'van God' zijn. Een theologische meditatie over *Nostalghia* van A. Tarkowski, - Lecture at the day of studies "Om meer te zien", Oude Abdij, Drongen, 1 May 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - On the relationship between faith and culture in a postmodern context - Commentary at the Glenstal Ecumenical Conference, Glenstal Abbey, Ireland, 26-28 June 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - Nine guestlectures on the Sacraments - Hoger Diocesaan Godsdienstwetenschappelijk Instituut van het aartsbisdom Mechelen, Leuven, September-November 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - Eucharistische presentie in historisch- en systematisch-theologisch perspectief - Four conferences at the Oude Abdij, Drongen, 6 and 20 November 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - De excellentie van het huwelijk onder de sacramenten. Vrij naar Thomas van Aquino - Lecture at the meeting of the Board of the Thomas Foundation, Utrecht, 12 November 2002
- Van den Bossche, A.M.G. - A Possible Present for Theology. Theological Implications of Jean Luc Marion's Phenomenology of Givenness - Lecture at day of studies on Jean Luc Marion at the Catholic Theological University of Utrecht, Utrecht, 15 November 2002

- Velde, R.A. te - Seksuele lust en zonde bij Augustinus - Lectures for the public on the subject of sin, Tilburg Faculty of Theology, Tilburg, 5 February 2002
- Velde, R.A. te - Analogie en de (on)mogelijkheid om God ter sprake te brengen - Lecture at the day of studies of the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "De Goddelijke Namen", Tilburg, 24 May 2002
- Velde, R.A. te - De scheppingsleer in de *Summa Theologiae* - Presentation at the Internationale Arbeitstagung "Die Summa theologiae des Thomas von Aquin: Werkinterpretationen", Würzburg, 30 May - 2 June 2002
- Velde, R.A. te - Maimonides en Thomas van Aquino - Lecture at the Studium Generale of the Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, 9 October 2002
- Velde, R.A. te - Geloof en rede volgens Thomas van Aquino - Lecture in the series "Christelijke denkers", Uytenbogaert-centrum, The Hague, 3 December 2002
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Terug achter het geweten - Lecture at the studygroup "Geweten", Soeterbeeckprogramma, Catholic University Nijmegen, 18 February 2002
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Identiteit van een koepel en identiteit van een huis - Lecture at the KVZ, 22 February 2002
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Seks en lijfelijkheid - Lecture at Tilburg, 16 April 2002
- Vosman, F.J.H. - Das Konzept Glück - Lecture at the day of studies at the Thomas Instituut te Utrecht "Het geluk van de mens", Utrecht, 6 December 2002